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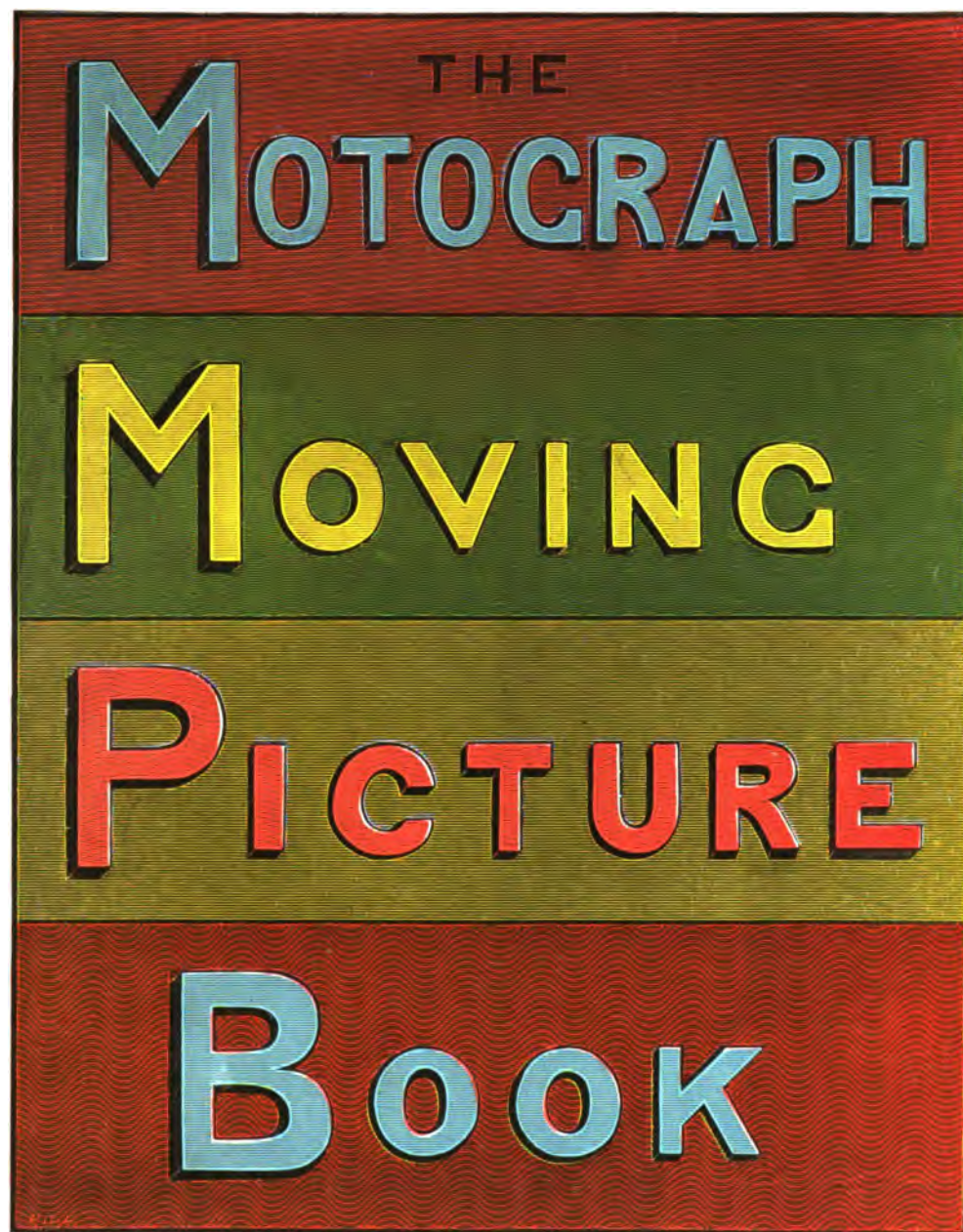
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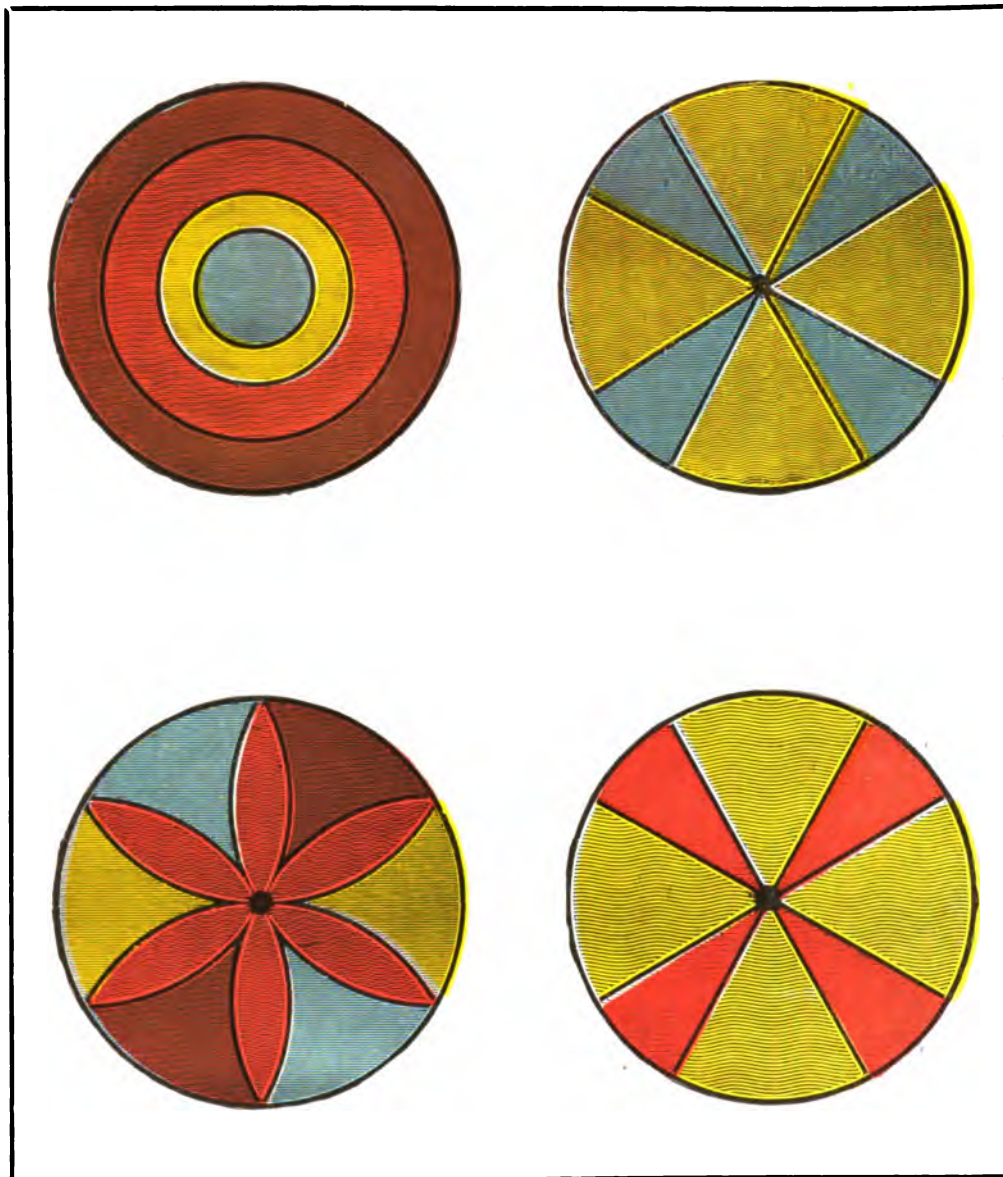
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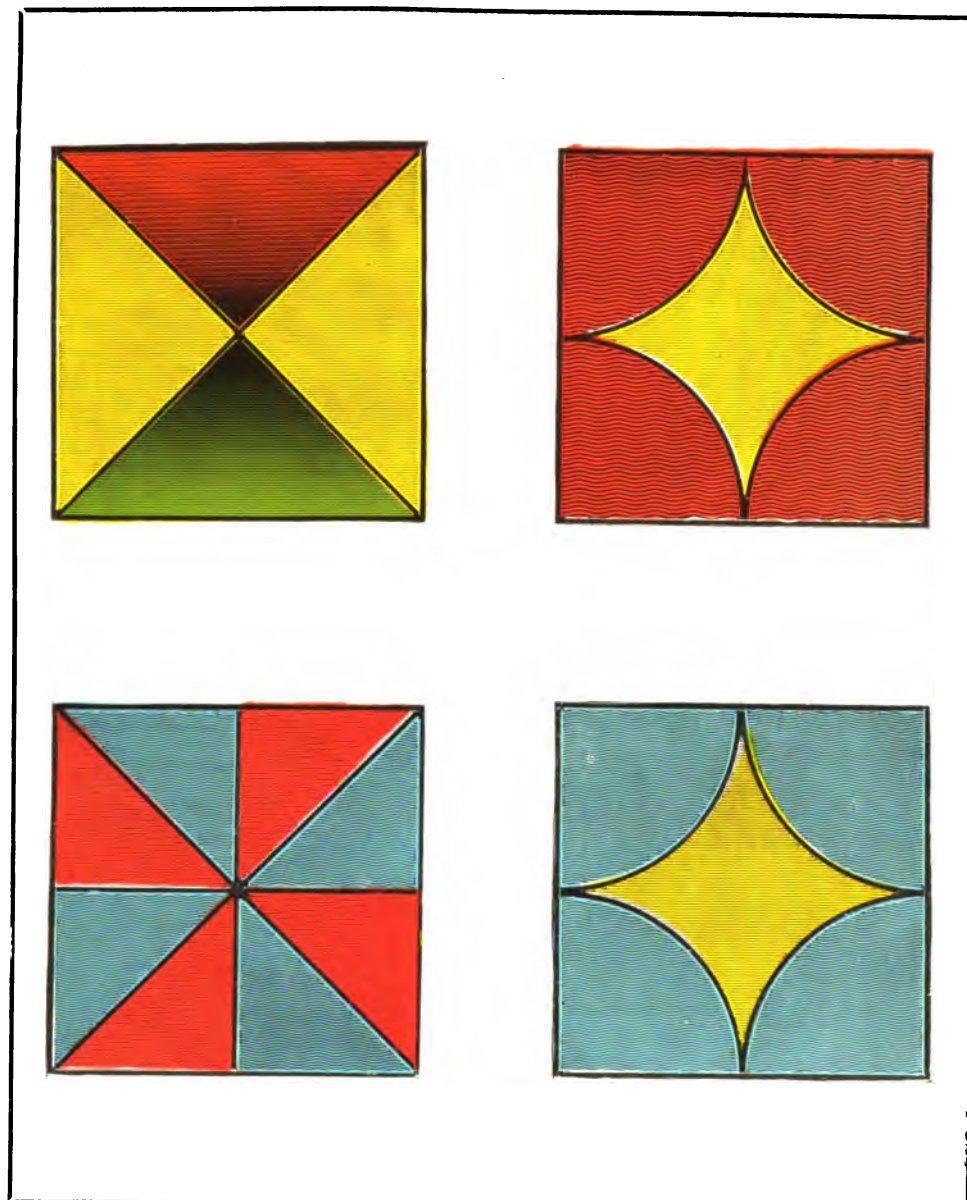
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THE MAGIC CIRCLES.

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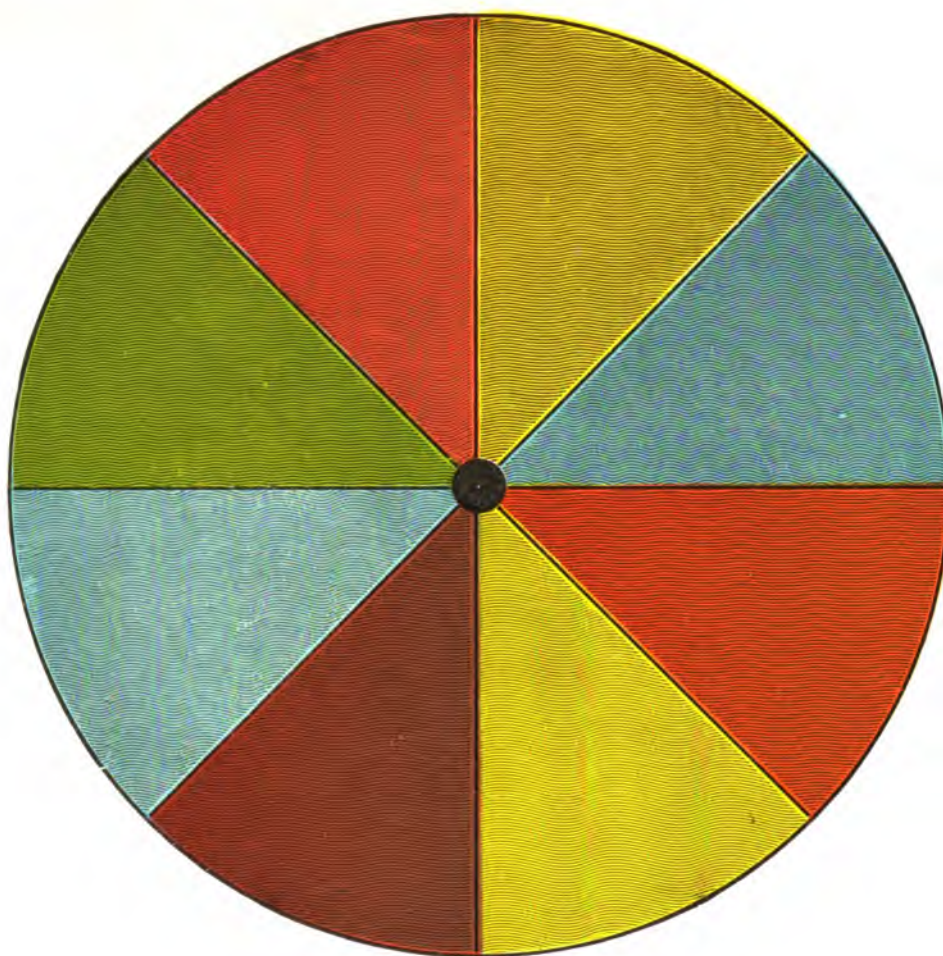
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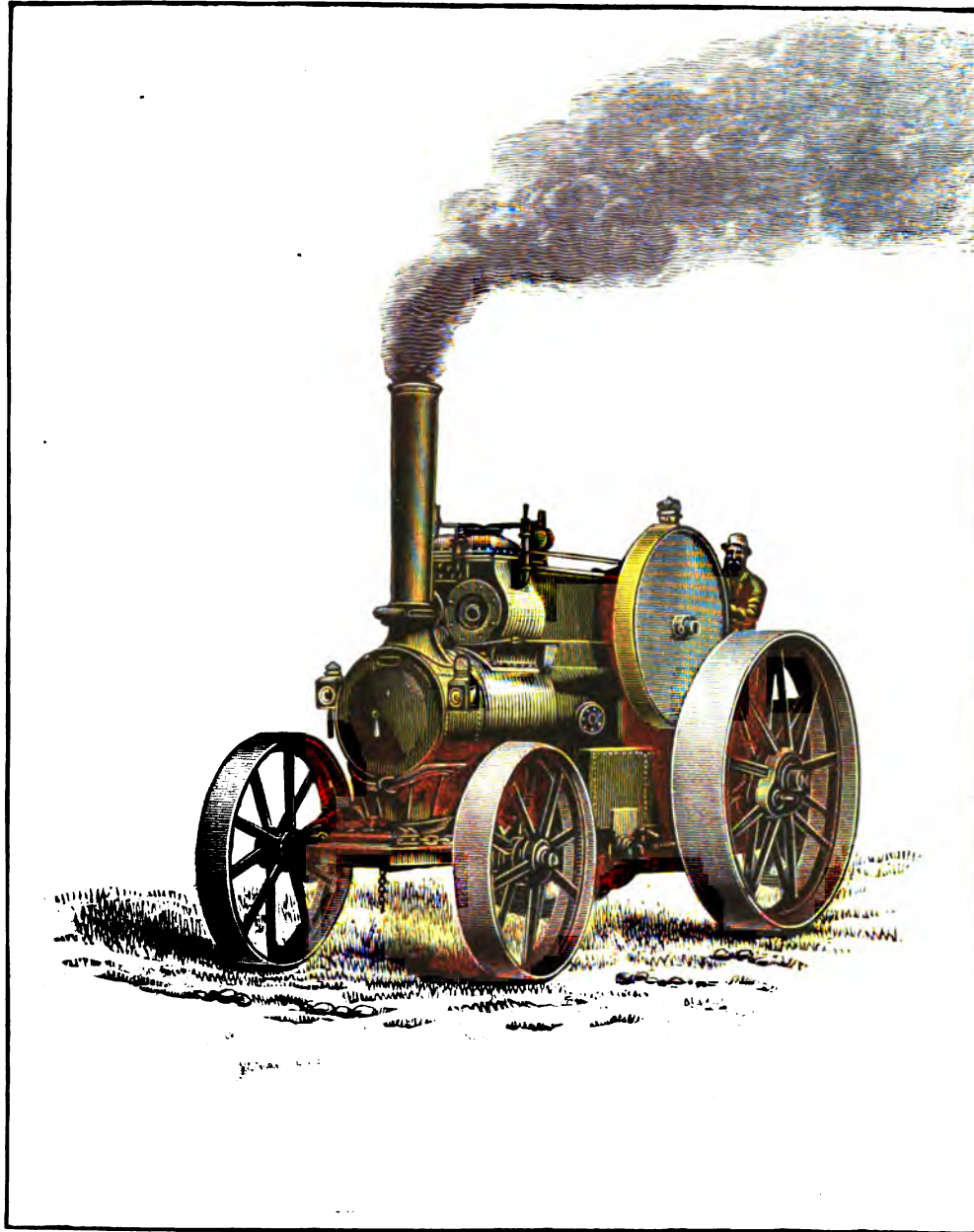
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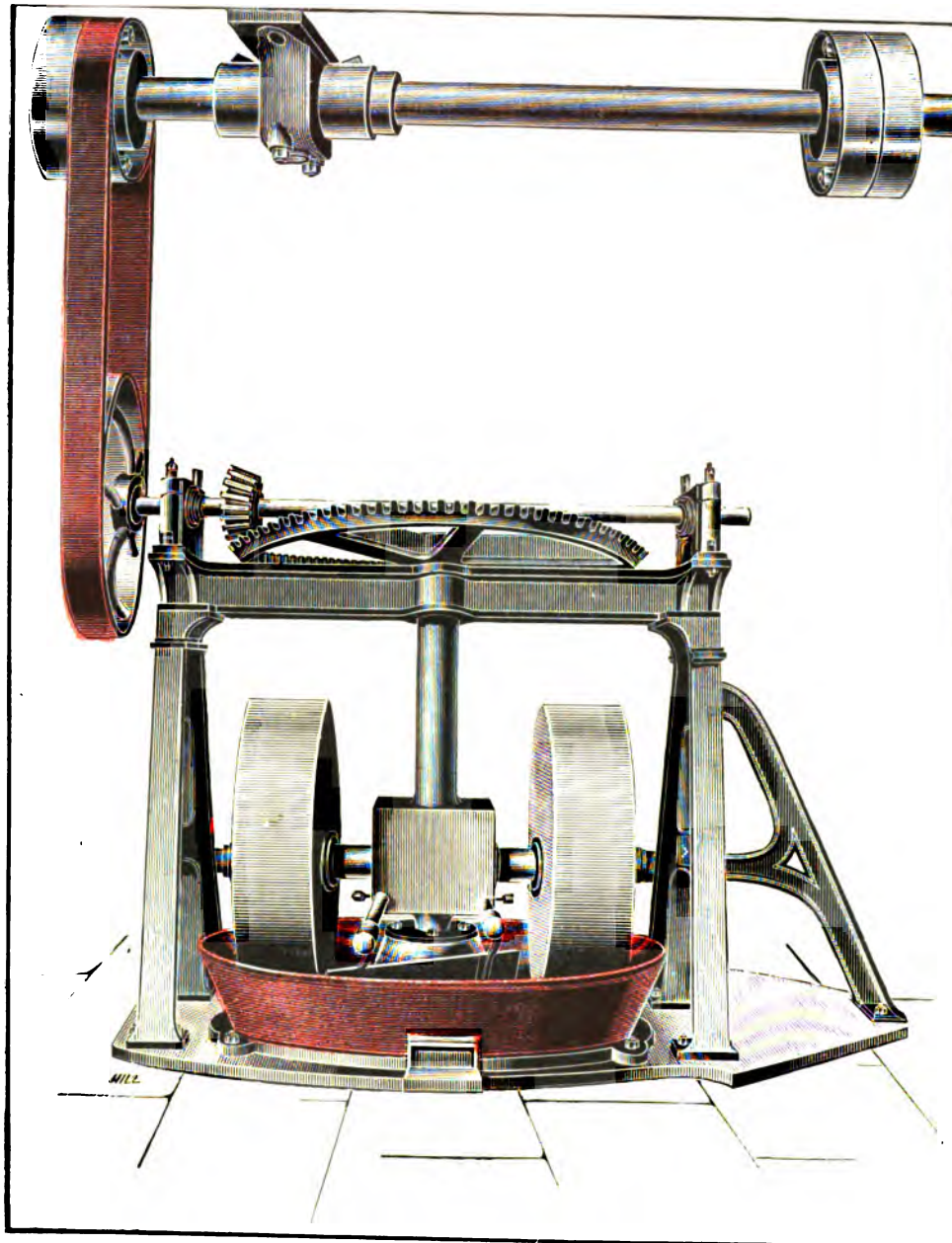
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THE TRACTION ENGINE.

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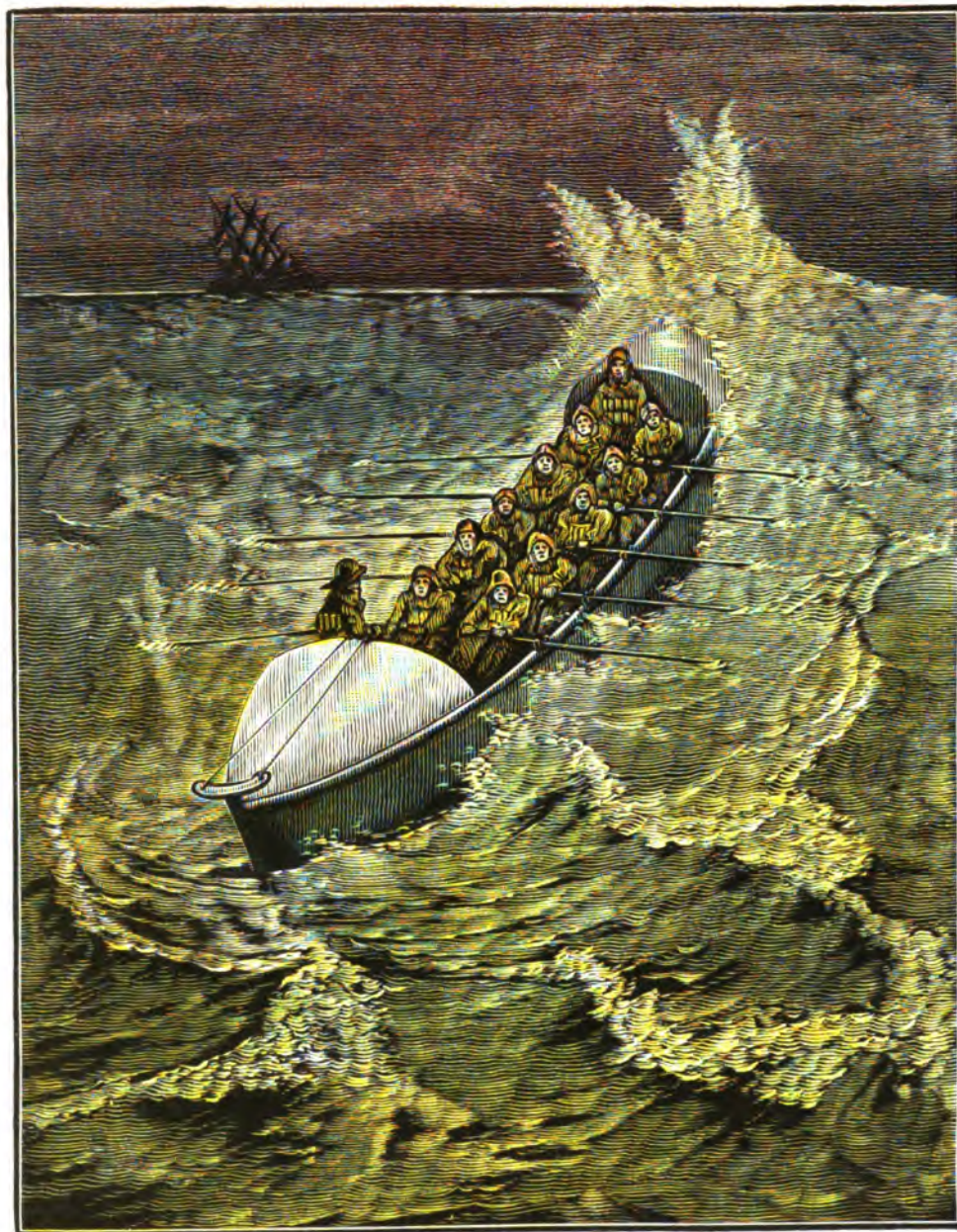


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INSTRUCTIONS.—Place the star on the Transparency over the star on the picture, tilt the Transparency very slightly up to the right and move very slowly up and down over the face of the picture.

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THE LIFE BOAT.

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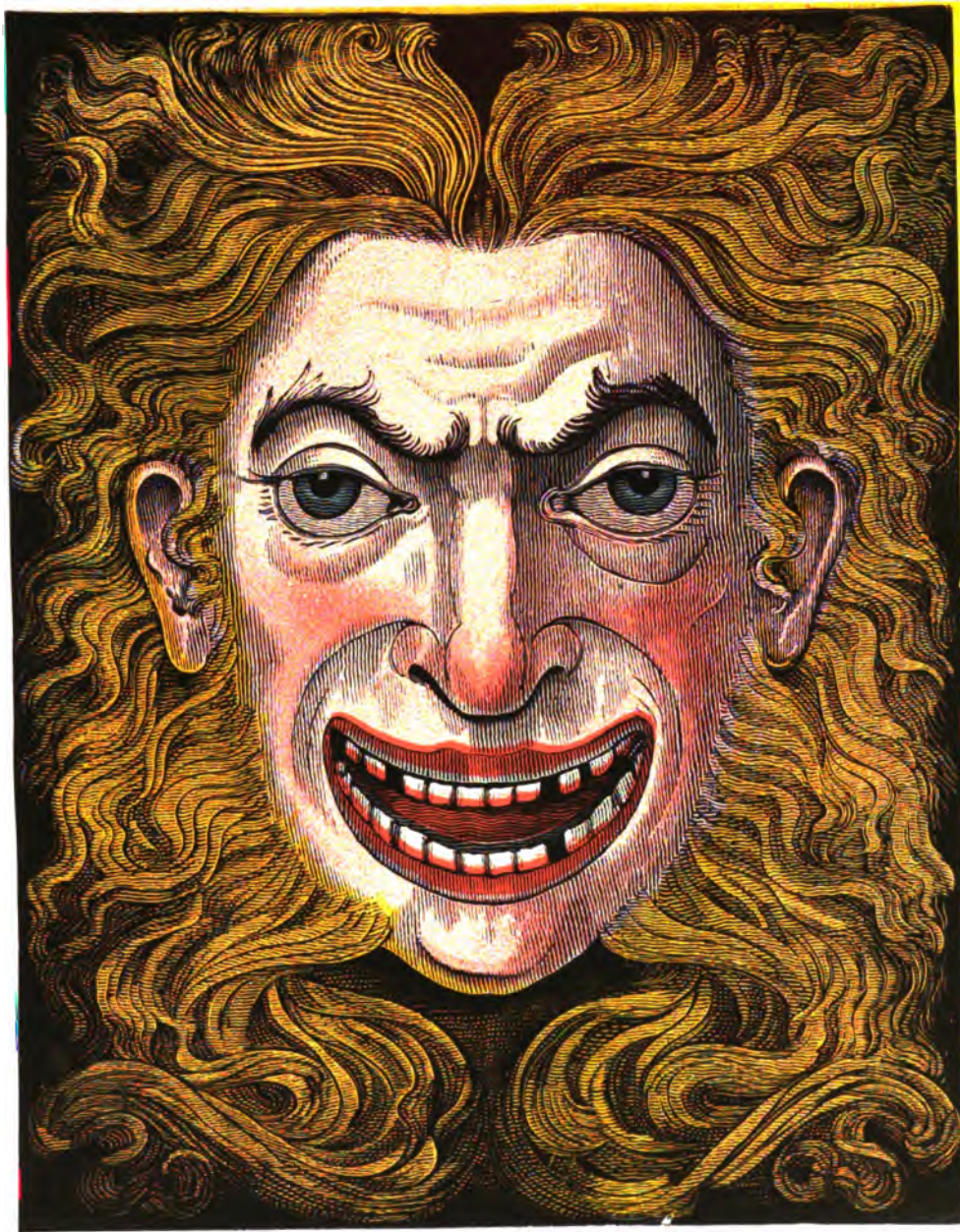
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THE CAT AND THE CHERUB.

INSTRUCTIONS.—Same as given for the Traction Engine. Observe the cat's eyes and whiskers.

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THE MAGIC HEAD.

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Observe the motion of the mouth, eyes, and hair.

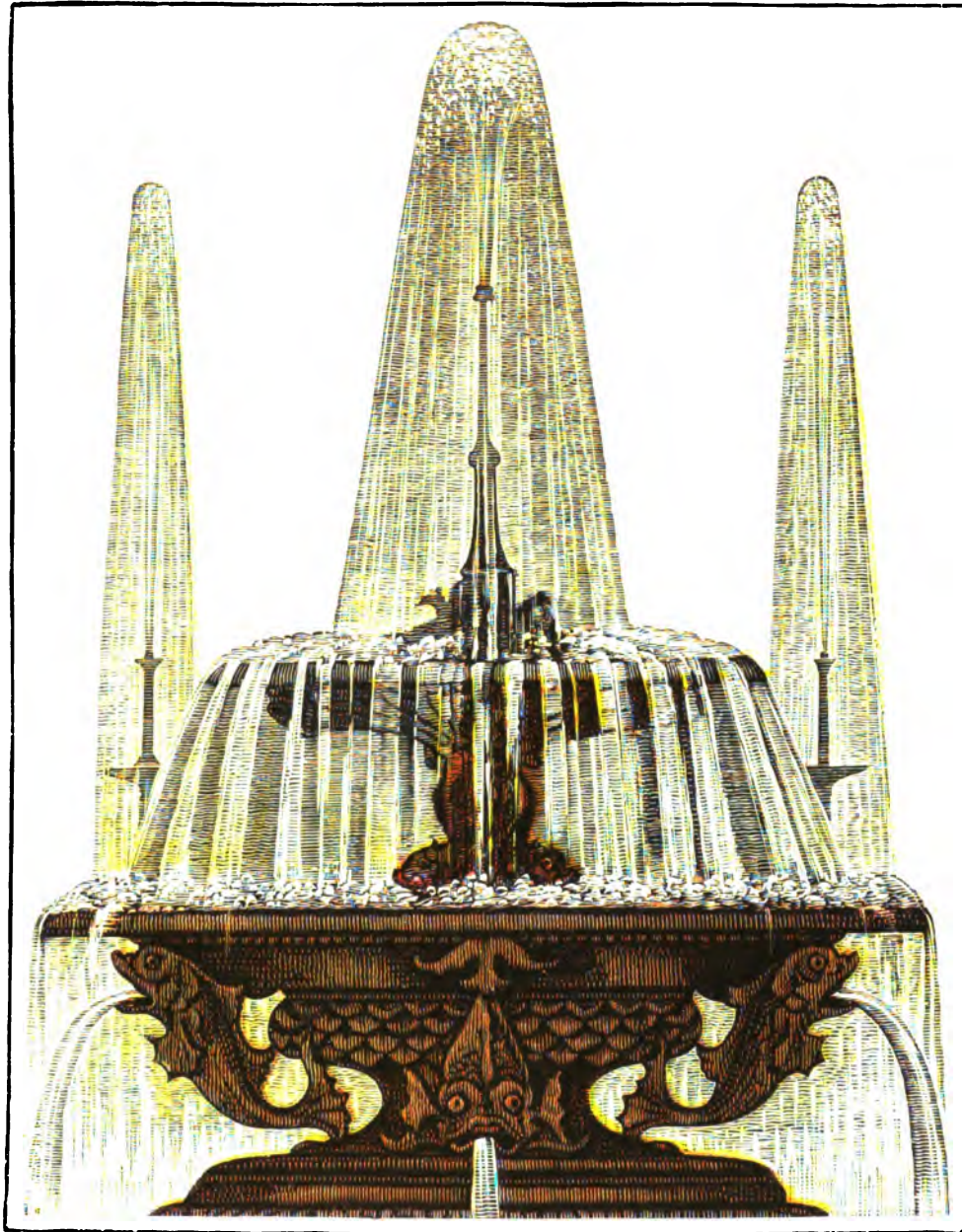
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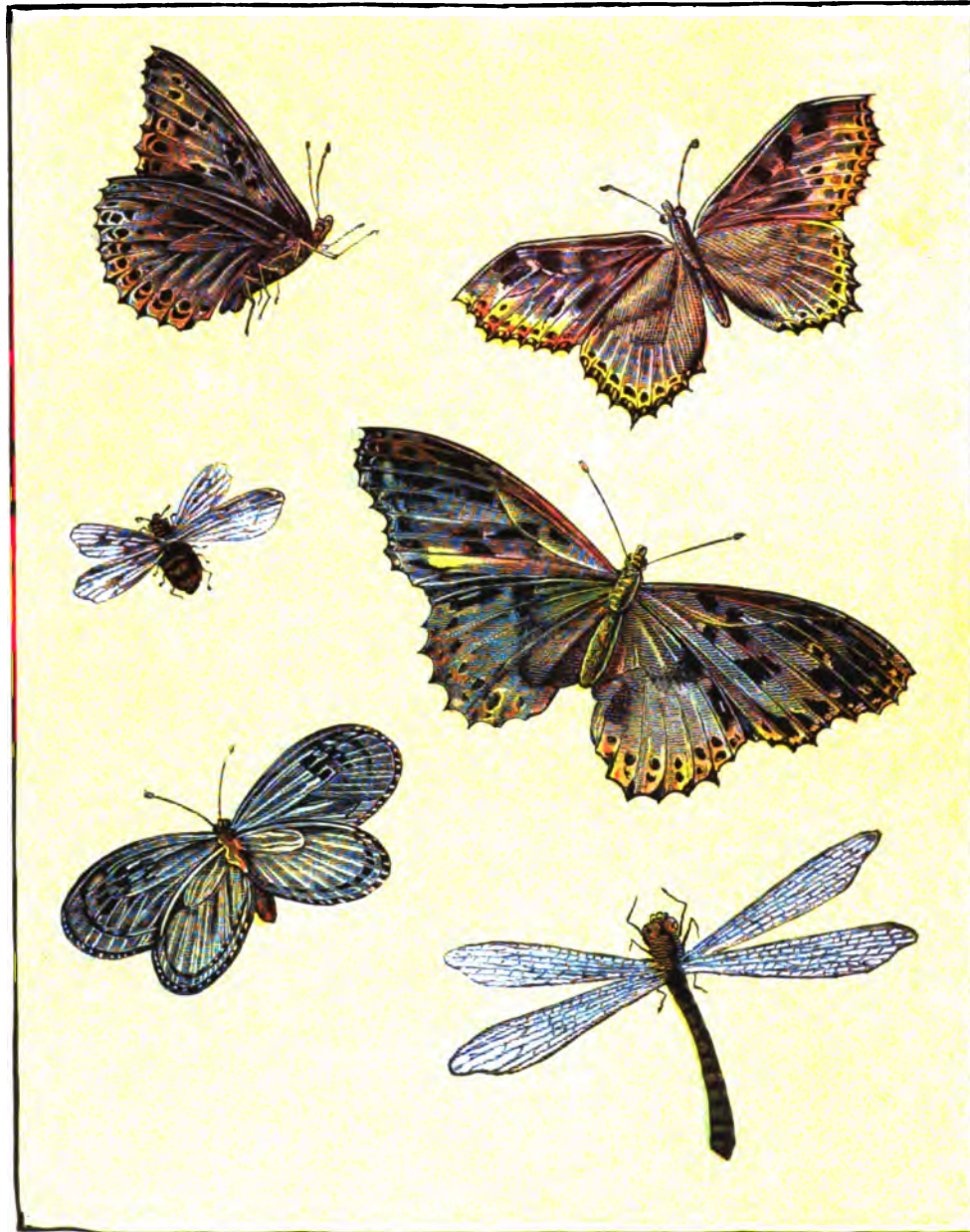
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